Mr. Mark H. Prothro

Dear Marks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you personally and in behalf of the American Numismatic Association for the outstanding contribution you have made to the success of National Coin Week this year. Although you did not win an award, we are sure that you feel, as we do, great satisfaction in having promoted the numismatic hobby in your local community.

A winner's plaque actually is rather unimportant when compared to the many and varied benefits to be derived from National Coin. Week participation, as we are sure you know. The satisfaction of exhibiting your coins, possibly recruiting new numismatists, and informing the public about a truly fine hobby is far more important and gratifying.

We sincerely hope that your spirits are not dimmed, and that you will continue to support this important public relations program in future years. The necond of this year's competion is an impressive one, and you may justly take pride in your contribution to it.

Very truly yours,

Rick & Virginia Bronson

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P.S.

Your Centificate and papers are enclosed. We would appreciate it if you might retain the large black and white picture in good condition. We will make mention of it to next year's chairman for NCW, and they may request this from you to use in publicity. Thank you.